

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

This is a divisional of Application No. 09/755,152 filed January 8, 2001; the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference.

Please replace the fourth and fifth paragraphs of page 13 with the following rewritten paragraphs:

~~Fig. 4 is a diagram~~Figs. 4(a) to 4(c) are diagrams useful in describing an embodiment of the present invention;

~~Fig. 5 illustrates~~Figs. 5(a) and 5(b) illustrate the construction of an embodiment of the present invention;

Please replace the first paragraph of page 15, with the following rewritten paragraph:

~~Fig. 23 is a diagram~~Figs. 23(a) and 23(b) are diagrams showing the construction of a clock control circuit using a synchronous delay circuit according to a basic structure.

Please replace the sixth and seventh paragraphs of page 15 with the following rewritten paragraphs:

~~Fig. 28 is a diagram~~Figs. 28(a) and 28(b) are diagrams showing the construction of a clock control circuit using a synchronous delay circuit according to a basic structure;

~~Fig. 29 is a diagram~~Figs. 29(a) and 29(b) are diagrams showing the construction of a clock control circuit using a synchronous delay circuit according to a basic structure;

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Please replace the sixth full paragraph of page 16 with the following rewritten paragraph:

~~Fig. 37 is a diagram~~ Figs. 37(a) and 37(b) are diagrams showing the construction of a clock control circuit using a synchronous delay circuit according to an embodiment of the present invention;